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**PATENT**

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**Title:** **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR REMOTE VIEWING OF PATIENT IMAGES**

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Commissioner:

Prior to examination of the Continuation Application referenced above (which is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 10/029,817, filed December 13, 2001, and entitled "SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR REMOTE VIEWING OF PATIENT IMAGES", which itself is a continuation of U.S. Patent No. 6,381,029, issued April 30, 2002 with the same title), please enter the following amendments and consider the following Remarks.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**REMARKS** begin on page 7 of this paper.